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1. THE CURRENT CASP CYCLE PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE HUMAN RIGHTS QUESTION ACROSS THE HEMISPHERE. THE INFORMATION GATHERED IN RESPONSE TO REFTEL SHOULD BE USEFUL POINT OF DEPARTURE FOR THIS EXAMINATION.

2. IN THOSE COUNTRIES IN WHICH HUMAN RIGHTS PROBLEMS ARE LIKELY TO ARISE DURING THE CASP PERIODE.G. CHILE, BRAZIL, THE HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION SHOULD BE ADDRESSED AS A MAJOR ISSUE IN THE CASP. THIS ANALYSIS SHOULD INCLUDE A SUMMARY OF ACTIONS USG HAS TAKEN IN THIS FIELD. IN THOSE COUNTRIES IN WHICH HUMAN RIGHTS QUESTIONS ARE NOT LIKELY TO LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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BE SIGNIFICANT (E.G. COSTA RICA, COLOMBIA, VENEZUELA),

MAJOR ISSUE TREATMENT IS NOT NECESSARY. ALL CASPS HOWEVER SHOULD CONTAIN A SPECIFIC STATEMENT OF THE HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION ANTICIPATED DURING THE PLANNING PERIOD. SUCH A STATEMENT MIGHT BE INCLUDED EITHER IN THE AMBASSADOR'S OVERVIEW OR IN THE INTEREST ANALYSIS SECTION.

3. FOR CARIBBEAN POSTS. CASP SUBMISSIONS SHOULD NOT BE DELAYED FOR INCLUSION OF ADDITIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS MATERIAL. A BRIEF STATEMENT OF THE ANTICIPATED SITUATION TOGETHER WITH AN ISSUE ANALYSIS, IF NEEDED, CAN BE SUBMITTED SEPARATELY. INGERSOLL

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